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For: PROCESS FOR THE TREATMENT OF A THIN BRITTLE METAL STRIP AND MAGNETIC  
COMPONENTS PRODUCED FROM A STRIP MADE OF A NANOCRYSTALLINE ALLOY

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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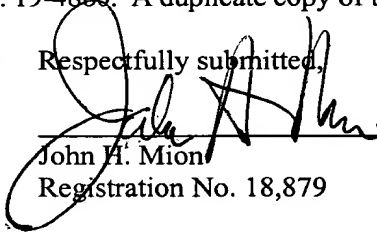
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